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Sand Point Commercial Salmon Fishery Announcement # 28 For Emergency Order #4-FS-M-SP-28-13; #4-FS-M-SP-29-13

Commercial salmon fishing will be extended in the Canoe Bay, East Pavlof Bay (north of the latitude of Black Point 55° 24.48' N. lat.), and Mino Creek-Little Coal Bay sections of the South Central District from 6:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 31 until 9:00 p.m. Saturday, August 3, 2013. The closed waters of Mino Creek will remain at the stream outlet terminus with the ocean shoreline.

The remainder of the South Alaska Peninsula will close as scheduled at 6:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 31. Commercial salmon fishing will be allowed in the Unimak District, the Shumagin Islands Section of the Southeastern District, and the West Pavlof Bay and East Pavlof Bay (south of the latitude of Black Point) sections of the South Central District from 8:00 a.m. Thursday, August 1 until 9:00 p.m. Saturday, August 3, 2013.

All closed waters in the above locations will be as described in the regulation book or as adjusted by emergency order.

Statistical charts and harvest strategies are available at the Sand Point, Cold Bay, and Port Moller Fish and Game offices. Commercial salmon fishing regulations, commercial harvest, escapement, and news releases can be found on the ADF&G website at:

http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyareaakpeninsula.salmon.

Salmon fishery announcements will be broadcast on VHF channels 6 and 73 daily at 9:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. and may also be obtained from ADF&G in Sand Point at 383-2334 (383-ADFG).